

# PEE WEE SOCCER

## Quick Facts about the Pee Wee Soccer League (PWS)

### Do I have to choose a location?

You are free to choose whichever location is most convenient. All games will be played at that particular location.

### I've signed up for PWS...what do I do now?

You will be contacted by a coach at least one week prior to the first day. The coach will provide you with information about game schedule, team name, etc.

### What is the format of the league?

The program meets on Saturday mornings/early afternoons. The program is one hour in duration with the first 20 or 30 minutes of the hour, depending on age division, devoted to practice. The last 30 or 40 minutes are reserved for a friendly, recreational-style soccer game. Game start times will range from 9am to 2pm and start on the hour. For example, week one your game might be at 9am but week two your game might be at 10am. A full season game schedule will be provided on the 1st day.

### I'd like to be a coach. How do I apply? And, what if my team does not have a coach?

Please visit our league website [www.kirklandwa.gov/peeweesoccer](http://www.kirklandwa.gov/peeweesoccer) to download the volunteer application. Prior soccer experience does help but is not necessary. All coaches must pass a background check. Feel free to email [nthomas@kirklandwa.gov](mailto:nthomas@kirklandwa.gov) for more information.



*"This last spring season was the last season Felix and Hugo will play in the Kirkland Pee Wee Soccer league. It was their 7th season with the league and through it they developed a real love for soccer and I want to THANK YOU for creating such a great program. Felix and Hugo LOVED it and will take a love for soccer with them for the rest of their lives thanks to the seeds planted through Kirkland's Pee Wee Soccer League."*

— Caroline McGrath, soccer parent in a note to NeSha Thomas-Schadt, Sport Coordinator

### How are teams formed?

Registration is taken in the order received. Siblings will be placed together. Teams are formed randomly, but we take into consideration gender ratios and ages of the participants.

### Are games played in the rain?

Yes, games will be played as scheduled if the field is in good condition. If the field conditions are poor we will cancel games for the day and reschedule.

### Does the program take player pairing or coach requests?

Requests for team pairings are taken but are not guaranteed. Your child must be registered before you may make a request. We accept one request per child (player or coach pairing). Please note that if you register for the league, it is the parent's responsibility to arrange for travel, supervision, etc. regardless of who is on your child's team.

### What is included with the registration fee?

Each child will receive a t-shirt to wear during the season and a participant medal at the end of the season. Shin guards are not provided but are required. Cleats are optional but recommended.

### If I have additional questions, who do I contact?

Please call 425.587.3336 for additional information or to register.

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